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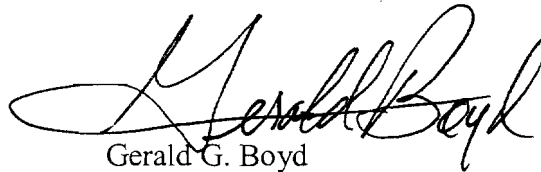
SUBJECT: **ANNUAL NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT PLANNING SUMMARY
FOR 2007 - OAK RIDGE OFFICE**

TO: David R. Hill, General Counsel, GC-1, HQ/FORS

This correspondence transmits the Annual National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Planning Summary for 2007 for the Oak Ridge Office (ORO). This is in accordance with the June 1994 Secretarial Policy Statement on NEPA and Department of Energy Order 451.1B. The attached summary provides a brief description of the status of ongoing NEPA compliance activities and planned Environmental Assessments (EA) expected to be required in the next 12 months and Environmental Impact Statements expected to be required in the next 24 months. The summary will be made available for public review at the public reading room in Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

There are no plans for a site wide document for the Oak Ridge Reservation; however, an EA was completed at ORNL in 2001 for the ORNL Facilities Revitalization Project which covered many of the activities at the site. The East Tennessee Technology Park activities include mainly Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) actions relating to site closure and reindustrialization efforts that are covered by existing EAs.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (865) 576-4444 or James Elmore, Alternate ORO NEPA Compliance Officer, at (865) 576-0938.



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Manager

Attachments

See Page 2 for cc's.

Annual NEPA Planning Summary Status of Ongoing NEPA Compliance Activities: Environmental Assessments

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*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule (**NEPA Milestones)	Description
Environmental Assessment - U.S. Department of Energy Conveyance of Parcel ED-6 to the City of Oak Ridge, Tennessee (DOE/EA-1514); Oak Ridge, TN	\$136,000	Determination Date: 11/4/2004	EA for the proposed conveyance of Parcel ED-6 to the City of Oak Ridge. Public Information Sessions held November 18, 2004, and August 23, 2005. Comments incorporated into EA. Current Status: EA is pending resolution of informal consultation with U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.
		Transmittal to State: 8/11/2005	
		EA Approval: TBD	
		FONSI: TBD	
Proposed Conveyance of the American Museum of Science and Energy and Associated Property, Parcel G, and Parcel 279.01 (DOE/EA-1415); Oak Ridge, TN	76,000	Determination Date: 10/23/2001	Assesses the proposed title transfer of three properties. Current Status: EA is in final stages and is expected to be complete by February 28, 2007.
		Transmittal to State: 1/18/2002	
		EA Approval: TBD	
		FONSI: TBD	
Lease of Parcel ED-3 of the Oak Ridge Reservation to the Community Reuse Organization of East Tennessee (DOE/EA-1316); Oak Ridge, TN	90,000	Determination Date: 5/1/1999	Lease or transfer of approximately 450 acres of land for mixed commercial and industrial purposes. Current Status: EA is currently on hold.
		Transmittal to State: 2/1/2000	
		EA Approval: TBD	
		FONSI: TBD	
Environmental Assessment for U-233 Stabilization and Building 3019 Complex Shutdown	30,000	Determination Date: 9/28/2006	The EA will assess the potential impacts of downblending U-233 and placing in interim storage. The EA was transmitted to the public for comment in December 2006. Public meetings were held on January 8, 2007. Current Status: Comment period ended January 12, 2007, and DOE is working to resolve comments.
		Transmittal to State: 12/6/2006	
		EA Approval: TBD	
		FONSI: TBD	
Environmental Assessment for the Innovation Valley Science and Technology Project at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, TN	75,000	Determination Date: 8/17/2006	Lease or title transfer of underutilized land parcels and/or facilities to support the technology transfer mission of ORNL. Current Status: Public Information Session March 2007; EA completion is expected Summer 2007.
		Transmittal to State: 2/28/2007	
		EA Approval: TBD	
		FONSI: TBD	
		Determination Date:	
		Transmittal to State:	
		EA Approval:	
		FONSI:	
		Determination Date:	
		Transmittal to State:	
		EA Approval:	
		FONSI:	
	Total Estimated Cost		
	\$407,000.00		

Annual NEPA Planning Summary Status of Ongoing NEPA Compliance Activities: Environmental Impact Statements

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*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule		Description
None		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
		Draft		
		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
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		ROD		
		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
		Draft		
		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Supplemental Analysis:		
		Determination Date:		
		Approval:		
		Supplemental Analysis:		
		Determination Date:		
		Approval:		
	Total Estimated Cost			
	\$0.00			
**Evaluation of Site Wide EIS:				

Annual NEPA Planning Summary Environmental Assessments Expected to be Prepared in the Next 12 Months

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*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule (**NEPA Milestones)		Description
Disposition of Nickel Scrap Stored at the Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant and the East Tennessee Technology Park in the Oak Ridge Complex: Oak	TBD	Determination Date:	TBD	EA for the proposed processing and controlled radiological use of contaminated nickel stored at the Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant and the East Tennessee Technology Park.
		Transmittal to State:	TBD	
		EA Approval:	TBD	
		FONSI:	TBD	
		Determination Date:		
		Transmittal to State:		
		EA Approval:		
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	Total Estimated Cost			
	\$0.00			

1/12/2007

* Please include projected NEPA milestones, if planned.

Annual NEPA Planning Summary Environmental Impact Statements Expected to be Prepared in the Next 24 Months

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*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule (**NEPA Milestones)		Description
None		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
		Draft		
		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
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		Scoping:		
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		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Supplemental Analysis:		
		Determination Date:		
		Approval:		
		Supplemental Analysis:		
		Determination Date:		
		Approval:		
	Total Estimated Cost			
	\$0.00			